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## KIDD'S STORE.

—Miss Sarah Phillips, a native of Harrodsburg who has lately adopted Hustonville, is greatly enjoyed as a visitor by old friends of this locality.

—Elton Ford, a young Buckeye, who has been reared in an atmosphere of prejudice against the reputed bloodthirsty Soutfiron, is sojourning with friends near by and is gradually recovering from conviction of necessity of a cordon of guarders and apprehension of ambuscades, when rashly risking a ride through Chapman's and over highways. But one death by violence and two or three shooting scraps have occurred within ear shot of his abiding place during the few weeks of his sojourn and his conceptions of the ferocious product of former slave territory and the momentary menace to limb and life to the innocent and unwary traveler, have been materially modified by his gracious reception and unpaired appetite up to present writing.

—If our district and the surrounding are samples of the average common school, State and National elections will soon be of secondary interest and excitement in comparison with that of common school trustee and family factions, local feuds and neighborhood wars will soon become as common as were Indian raids in pioneer times. Favoritism weighs most with many in award of schools, and a candidate committed to a particular applicant—occasionally to number of three or four—is run by a faction, creating greatest anxiety as to the issue. The defeated are often disgruntled and in the chagrin of defeat willing and occasionally anxious to commit the whole business to the demolition bow-wow because they can't control. Instead of promoting the interest of the district by contributing every effort to support of trustees and teacher, fault finding, critical search for technical irregularities and a general bigotedness are the order. Let position of trustee be appointive by superintendent for him, only women holding first-class certificates eligible to teach a common school, and the first beneficiary of the system who would obstruct its progress he made first run the gauntlet and then be translated by intensified infamaries.

## OF A LOCAL NATURE.

—Jack Norvell, who skipped out from Middlesboro between two suns, has four living wives.

—W. S. Carr has been appointed postmaster at Kearney, Laurel county, in place of G. D. Moore, deceased.

—Dock Hoskins, the negro who killed Policeman Osborne at Norton, Va., has been captured. A lynching bee is probable.

—Thomas Smith, a prominent young man of Somerset, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart. He did it while in his room and under the influence of liquor.

—The Russell Tribune gives the vote to county on local option as follows: For \$55, against \$72, making a majority of 483 for the measure. Editor Brents prints a roaster in announcing the glad tidings.

—Within a month or six weeks there will be nothing left of the magnificent Four Seasons Hotel at Harrogate, save the wine cellars, and they will be empty. The building has been sold to the Chicago Wreckage and Salvage Company for \$30,000. Next week they will begin the destruction of the building. The material will be shipped to Chicago and there sold to contractors.

—After a long and useful life, Rev. Strother Cook, Sr., one of the oldest ministers of the Baptist denomination, died at his home in Mercer Sunday morning at an early hour, of a carbuncle, aged 86 years. He was a brother of Mrs. Evan Waters and Mrs. Betsy Nevins. He joined the church at Providence, Boyle county, when quite a youth, at which time Rev. John S. Higgins, remembered and loved by all the older people in Lincoln, was pastor. He began preaching at McCormick's church, in this county, in 1833, which was then a Baptist church, and hence spent 62 long years in proclaiming the glad tidings, during which time he turned thousands from the error of their way. He leaves 11 children to mourn the loss of a loving father and quite a number of grand-children and great-grand-children, all of whom were with him during his last hours. Rev. Strother Cook, Jr., his next eldest son, who is a missionary to Africa, arriving in time to be present at the dissolution. An unusually lengthy procession followed his remains to Shawnee Run church in Mercer yesterday, and after a funeral discourse by the pastor, what was mortal was laid to rest in the cemetery by the side of his beloved wife, who preceded him to the grave 4½ years. J. F. W.

—**ENGAGE YOUR SLEEPER BEARTH.**—Persons going to Old Point Comfort on the Chesapeake and Ohio special train July 30th, are requested to send in their names and state how much space is wanted. This can be done by letter or postal and is quite necessary in order that a sufficient number of sleeping cars can be arranged for. George W. Barney D. P. A., Lexington, Ky.

## HUSTONVILLE.

—Old corn is held at \$2.75 and \$3 here and baled hay at \$8; no sales as yet or new hay.

—The first blackberries of the season appeared on our streets last week. Price 30¢ per water bucket.

—A new feed stable in town, conducted by Duke Jarman, cold, is the latest candidate for the favor of the public.

—Wheat threshing has been delayed by rain, but we notice the new crop beginning to come in. Last Tuesday Wm. Givens delivered six loads to the mill here.

—While attending the Turnerville meeting one night last week, Millard Allen's horse became unmanageable and rearing up, fell, while in the shaft, against a fence. Fortunately but slight damage was done.

—The public school session here will begin on Monday, July 29th. Miss Mary Thompson will be assisted by Miss Mary Lusk. Miss Mary Kay, well-known here, will teach the Millidgeville school this year. She began last Monday.

—Meredith Prewitt, one of our accomplished young teachers, who secured a first-class certificate at the late examinations, will have charge of the public school at Bradfordsville this fall. We are pleased to chronicle the successes of our rising young men.

—Any items of interest of a personal nature, or concerning social events, or announcements such as for preaching services, &c., &c., if left with Mr. June Reid at F. B. Twidwell's drug store, will be thankfully accepted and receive prompt attention in this column.

—Last week some miscreants carried off the street lamps at the intersection of Daviess street with College Avenue. A fine of \$50 is the penalty for disturbing these lamp and the parties who took this one are apt to learn what that means as our vigilant marshal is hot on their trail.

—Last Tuesday evening Mr. John Allen gave a party at his home in the country in honor of Miss Woodson, of his neighborhood, and Miss Russell, of Lexington. The following ladies and gentlemen from town attended: Messrs. Doc Drye, Jas. Allen, June Reid and Harry Hocker; Misses Bertha and Emma Morris, Jessie and Kate Cook, Julia Stegg and Lena Goode. It was a very swell affair and greatly enjoyed by those present.

—Next week, beginning on Wednesday, we shall have with us colored delegates galore. A few days' meeting of an association of the colored brethren of the Christian church will be the procuring cause. One of our citizens was nearly paralyzed by being coolly asked to contribute a whole beef to the entertainment of the prospective guests. Evidently the local colored brother proposes to go on a grand scale if it takes all his white friends have.

—Last Sunday a week, pupils of the Presbyterian and Christian Sunday-schools, together with many friends from both churches repaired to our cemetery and surrounding the grave of Mr. J. B. Green, sang the songs that he loved and placed many beautiful floral offerings thereon. Elder W. L. Williams made a touching memorial address. It is not often that the memory of good men is kept green in this way.

—Chris Wrenn, a boy about 18 years of age, whose relatives live in Casey county, was arrested at the home of his sister, on the Fork, by Marshal Devers, last Thursday night. He is charged with breaking into a passenger car at Junction City last week and abstracting a lot of books, papers, fruits, candies, &c., from the newsboy's stock. He was lodged in jail here Thursday night and Friday morning Sheriff Baughman came and took him to Danville to await trial there. Ide Austin assisted the marshal to make this capture and it is a fatal day for the law breaker when these two camp on his trail.

—Bird, Due & Hale, a nursery firm of Tennessee, sued John Carney, Charley Johnson and others in Squire John Bailey's court here last Wednesday, on notes of hand given for nursery stock. The defendants claimed that Hale, the soliciting agent of the firm, deceived them into buying trees of him by promising to replace all that died. The firm, however, refused to replace any lost trees unless the purchaser would order another bill of goods, and even then only at half price. All of the defendants were of the Moreland neighborhood. A number of colored brethren were among those duped and their wrath at Hale and his firm was terrifying to behold. That tale points a moral frequently emphasized in the experience of our people, and that is while we have good nurseries near home it is the better part of judgment to patronize them and let the wiley agent of distant firms, with his colored plates of plums as big as base balls and pears as large as pumpkins, pass by. The squire gave judgment for the plaintiff.

—Givens & Owens sold to A. Hunn, last Tuesday, 18 lambs at 30¢. D. Allen & Lyons shipped a car load of lambs last Friday to Cincinnati, for which they paid 2 to 30¢. Same firm also shipped last week three car loads of sheep and lambs, paying for them 1½ to 40¢. On

these three car loads they made \$26. Jas. Allen bought this as he shipped three car loads of lambs last week and lost \$100 on the lot. Mr. Allen took a nice bunch of cattle to Danville court to sell, but brought them back again rather than take low prices off-red. Uriah Dunn, another of our traders, took in the Georgetown court last week, but found nothing to buy and only succeeded in trading one of his horses for two to a live man there. Arthur Jones sold a 2-year-old saddle gelding last week, by Mason Talbot, for 30¢.

—M. G. Thompson and wife are at home again after an absence of a week. Miss Lucy Alcorn has returned from a visit to Pennsylvania. Mrs. Pearl Pulliam, of Washington City, and two beautiful children, were in town last week visiting friends. Miss Kate Bogie will teach the McKinney public school next term. Wm. Green, the insurance man, who died at Perryville last week, was well-known and widely related here. Miss Mack Logan left on a visit to relatives in Danville Tuesday of last week.

—Dr. Ed Alcorn went to Russell Springs this week. Miss Kate Cook was at Linnett last week. Miss Anna Yowell returned home Tuesday after a visit of several weeks to friends in Somerset. Mrs. Newburn, of Bolivar, Tenn., mother of Dave Newburn, of this place, arrived here last Tuesday on a visit to her son.

—Mrs. Ed Edwards returned home Tuesday last from a protracted visit to Lexington. Miss Lizzie Bogie left for Lexington last Thursday to attend a training school for nurses. Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Weatherford and their three bright little boys left for their Milldale home last week after a pleasant visit to relatives here. Huston Ellis, who was arrested here last week, charged with stealing a pistol, is in no way related to our estimable townsmen by that name, although it was reported that he was. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Williams, of Meridian, Miss., are visiting the family of Mr. John Dinwiddie. Mrs. Williams was Miss Claudine Drye. Anthony Hunn, of Columbia, is here on a trading expedition. Miss Minnie Drye, of Bradfordsville, is visiting friends here. Miss Mary Lusk left last week for Lancaster to visit Mrs. Kandiman, her aunt. G. M. and Reuben Evans paid a visit last week to Mrs. John Taylor, at Bradfordsville, Mr. Given's daughter. Dr. Hawk Brown attended a doctors' convention at Elizabethtown, Mercer county, last week. He reports an enjoyable time. Mrs. Kate Blain, who has been visiting Walker Bell, in Casey county, returned home last Thursday. Felix Twidwell is back again at the old stand after an extended visit to Cincinnati. Mrs. Lud Evans, of Stanford, visited her mother, Mrs. Priselle Drye, of this place, last week. Squire Peavy was in town last Friday, greeting old friends. Uncle Bob Tucker, of this neighborhood, who has been paralyzed partially for several years, was in town last week and reported himself much better than usual. This is gratifying to his host of friends, Mr. Jas. Allen was presented with a quilt of many colors by some lady friends as a souvenir of the Masonic picnic. This refutes the claim of the sage of Kidd's Store that Bro. Allen's eminent services on that day were not appreciated here. We were a little previous in stating in the last issue that Mrs. Conway, formerly Miss Helen Reid, had returned to Oklahoma with her husband. She is still here to the gratification of her many friends.

—Two boys, Hunn and Roger Rucker, found a live terrapin crawling near the mill a few days ago with "J. F. W., July 4, 1870," cut on its back. We presume it is the property of Joe F. Waters, of the INTERIOR JOURNAL. He can get same by calling at this office, paying for this notice, etc.—Lancaster Record.

—The Big Four will run a grand excursion from Cincinnati August 1st, to Niagara at \$5 for the round-trip and Lake Chautauqua at \$1.50. Toronto only \$1 more and Thousand Island \$3 more than rates to Niagara. This road will also give a rate of one-half for the round to Boston August 25-31, good to return Sept. 10, on account Knight Templar's Conclave. For full particulars call on agent of Big Four or address E. O. McCormack, passenger agent, and D. B. Martin, G. P. A., Cincinnati.

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—Henry Brown, colored, was hanged at Live Oak, Fla., for the murder of Ed Ryberg, a white man. He confessed that he had killed seven men.

## LANCASTER, CARRARD COUNTY.

—Miss Florence McMurry commenced the public school at Mason's schoolhouse yesterday, 23rd.

—Eld. Jesse Walden, of this place, is to begin a protracted meeting at Scott's Fork the second Sunday in August.

—The members of the juvenile club stormed Misses Eugenia and Barbara Alice Bushy at their home on Danville street one night last week.

—To-day, Tuesday, at the home of the bride's parents in the upper part of the county, Mr. Jones, of Craib Orchard, is to be united in marriage to Miss Addie Miller.

—The partnership firm of the Lance Planing Mill has dissolved and S. T. Leavel has severed his connection with it but will again go into the coal business.

—Married at the court-house in this place Thursday, Mr. Thomas Ogg and Miss Bettie Martin, of the White Lick vicinity. The ceremony was pronounced by Judge R. A. Burnside.

—The entertainment Friday night at the court-house under the auspices of the Methodist church was pronounced splendid, in fact one of the best things of the kind ever given, and the sum of \$36 was made. Much praise is due Mrs. George R. Patterson for the untiring patience and pains she put forth in training the children.

—We wish to correct the article in reference to Mr. Carpenter Stuart's marriage. It has since been learned the report was circulated here as a joke, and as the young man is still single it would not be right to class his name with the long list of Benedictus that are found in Lincoln. Though it was an error when it was said he was married, still it seems that no young man could object to having it said he had wedded a pretty girl, even if it should turn out to be a mistake.

—Some of the reporters now claim that the celebrated Stivers' breach of promise suit has been withdrawn, while others are denying it. The suit still stands on the docket of the circuit court here, and if Stivers has taken any steps toward a withdrawal it has been through his lawyer, Fox, of Danville. There has never been a case in Garrard that has created as much comment. More especially, it is supposed, on account of the fact that women were to serve on the jury.

—Miss Orr Ray left Saturday for a visit to friends in Covington. Misses Minnie and Annie Cotton, of Danville, are visiting their cousin, Miss Lena Rigney. Wm. R. Marrs, of Knoxville, is in Lancaster on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Margaret Marrs. Claude Royston is visiting relatives in Chicago. Mrs. Rogers of Bloomington, Ind., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Gill. Miss Eva Stegar, of Craib Orchard, has returned home after a visit to Mr. Wm. Ward and family. Mr. D. M. Williams, of Campbellsville, was here visiting his son, W. L. Williams, a portion of last week. Miss Nannie Sweeney has returned from a visit to relatives at Danville. Miss Bettie Robinson has returned from a visit to Miss Mary Dunn, at Danville. Mrs. W. S. Elkin, of Atlanta, is here on a visit to her sister, Miss Jenny Duncan. Jas. Cunningham, of Louisville, is at home on a visit to his mother, Mrs. Mary Cunningham. Mr. Milten Elliott left last week to visit his cousin Henry Phillips, at Monticello. Elder George Gowan has returned from his trip to Boston, New York, Niagara Falls, Albany, Cambridge, Norfolk and Old Point Comfort. Miss Love Brodmarkle has returned to her home at Greenfield, Ill. Jesse Sweeney and Miss Alice Hudson spent Sunday at Crab Orchard Springs. Miss Carrie Woods, Hattie Vaughan, Altie Markshury, chaperoned by Mrs. W. O. Bradley, went to High Bridge Camp Meeting Saturday to hear Rev. T. DeWitt Talmage. Brown Bedford has returned to his home at Nicotaville. Miss Angie Ballou, of Stanford, a guest of her brother, Mr. H. M. Ballou and family, Ernest Brown, of Louisville, is at home for a visit.

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—A sweet girl graduate thus described the manner in which a goat butted a boy out of a yard: "He hurried the previous end of his anatomy against the boy's afterwards with an earnestness and velocity which, backed by the ponderosity of the goat's avordupos, imparted a momentum that was not relaxed until he landed on terra firma beyond the pale of the goat's jurisdiction."

—The Louisville & Nashville railroad, with its accustomed liberality, tendered a special train to the Kentucky Press Association from Hopkinsville to Atlanta, Georgia.

—New discoveries, tending toward convicting H. H. Holmes, the insurance swindler, of several murders, are being made daily.

—L. E. Fant died last week at Flemingsburg. He was not as large as his name indicated.

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STANFORD, KY., - JULY 28, 1905

W. P. WALTON.

The story telegraphed the Louisville Times from Barberville that the republicans of the 11th district are dissatisfied with Col. W. O. Bradley's nomination for governor is only the baseless figment of a correspondent's distorted imagination. Col. Bradley has a few enemies among the would-be leaders of his party, who imagine that he is in their way, but the rank and file swear by the lovable colonel and will vote for him to a man. Such statements as the one published are pernicious and can do the colonel no harm. We are not going to down him by misrepresentations. It is going to take hard, honest and unceasing work to accomplish that result in the present divided condition of the democratic hosts.

SAM J. ROBERTS, of the Lexington Leader, who is as much like Goy McKinley as he is like himself, has written him a letter saying that the republicans are going to carry Kentucky this year and he must fulfill his promise to come over to Macedonia and help them. Sam's a sanguine soul, but he should not mistake sanguineness for success. The republicans may give us a pretty hot fight this year, and are depending on fool democrats to continue to make fools of themselves, but they are reckoning without their hosts and Kentucky will still be kept in the middle of the road. Wat Hardin will be our next governor, and by 25,000 majority at least.

The Stanford Interior Journal, one of the very best papers in the State, has been shining with even a brighter light since Editor Walton took unto himself a wife, but we regret to see our brilliant friend using his wit at the expense of his friends.—Elizabethtown News. After thanking you for such a nicely turned though undeserved compliment, permit us Bro. Sommers to beg your pardon for the paragraph which called forth the latter part of the above. Really we had always regarded you as a democrat of such purest serenity that the doubt implied by your having to assert that you would support the ticket surprised as well as shocked us.

CANDIDATES for State librarian, which office has been practically conceded to the ladies for years, are getting as "thick as autumnal leaves that strew the brooks in Vallombrosa." Mrs. Emily Todd Helm, late postmaster of Elizabethtown and widow of the gallant leader of the Orphan Brigade, is the latest entry and we will wager dollars to doughnuts that in the final count the excellent and deserving lady will be there or thereabouts.

Mr. C. C. McCORD, railroad commissioner, could not get the endorsement of a nomination to that office, but he has succeeded by putting up a pitiful plea that the L. & N. downed him, in virtually getting the nomination of State senator in his district, two of the counties having declared for him. If elected Mr. McCord will doubtless use his position and his massive intellect to down the L. & N.

A DEBATING society at Frankfort has settled the question as to whether Gov. McCreary wears a wig by deciding that he does not. It doesn't matter so much what a man wears on his head as what he has in it, and the governor's being chocked full of good, hard common sense he is the idol of an admiring constituency, which always delights to do him honor.

In the count of preferences by the hold-overs and the candidates already nominated, Gov. McCreary has a good lead for U. S. Senator, which it is hoped, as well as believed, that he will maintain to the end. The governor spoke at Winchester yesterday and countered to a great extent the damage done the democratic cause by Senator Blackburn.

YESTERDAY was the day fixed for the respective committees to arrange the series of debates between Gen. Hardin and Col. Bradley. The first will be in Louisville and possibly last two days, if the wind of either does not give out. Both are captivating speakers and on their tour of the State great crowds will gather to hear them orate.

The Glasgow Times, whose editor is a prophet without honor in his own country, predicts that Senator Blackburn will win and that some day, Gov. Brown will be U. S. Senator. Let's see. Isn't this the same editor who said that a free silver resolution would go through the State convention like a dose of salts?

We are glad to welcome our old friend B. J. Newton, into the journalistic ranks again. After trying to be a money devil for several years, he has come back to his first love, the gray goose quill, and will edit the Owenton Herald, which already wears an air of unwonted brightness.

The latest addition to the Cleveland family has been named Marion, a French form of Mary, though the French nor any other nation can improve on that sweetest of names. Ruth, Esther, Marion; next?

**SENATOR BLACKBURN** says he was never defeated but twice in his life—when Sam Randall beat him for the Speakership of Congress and when he failed to get on the committee on resolutions in the recent State convention. The senator has been exceedingly lucky and the people have been patient and long suffering, but the tide has turned against him now and he can not expect to disprove Mr. Lincoln's favorite assertion, "You may fool some of the people all the time and all the people some of the time, but you can't fool all of the people all the time." The senator's course since the convention shows that he has been trusted with public office long enough, and until he has outgrown his masters, who are determined to retire him to private life.

KOJA, the Alabama political agitator, says he will never again run for governor. And now if like Judas Iscariot, the other betrayer, he will go and hang himself, all will be forgiven.

**NEWSY NOTES.**

—Two negro murderers were hanged at Greenbrier, Pa.

—At Washington, a negro was hanged for murdering his mistress.

—Frank Sun was thrown from a Texas pony near Hopkinsville and fatally injured.

—A gay young barber in San Francisco was horse-whipped by his wife on the street.

—A lunatic at Steubenville, O., set fire to his bed while confined in jail and was fearfully burned.

—John H. Chapman, of Illinois, was elected president of the Baptist Young People's Union of America.

—Oldham, a Baptist deacon, was sentenced to 12 years imprisonment at Ukiah, Cal., for stage robbery.

—President Cleveland has issued an order placing employees of all pension agencies under civil service rules.

—Louisville has already raised \$43,000 of \$75,000 necessary to properly entertain the members of the G. A. R.

—Three-fourths of the paper makers, representing \$30,000,000, have combined and will send prices away out of sight.

—After being imprisoned in a mine at Penobscot, Mich., from Wednesday till Friday, the nine miners were finally rescued.

—No fewer than 576 architects entered the competition for the preparation of plans for the projected Paris exposition in 1900.

—Maria Narbera has been sentenced to death by electricity for the murder of the man with whom she lived as his mistress.

—The chief of the bureau of statistics reports the value of exports for the fiscal year just closed at \$100,000,000 over the imports.

—At St. Louis, a woman victim of the paretic habit swallowed half a pint to satisfy her appetite and death quickly followed.

—Two men were killed, two fatally injured and three seriously hurt by the caving in of a sewer trench opposite Newark, N. J.

—The production of pig iron for the first six months of 1895 was 4,087,558 gross tons, against 1,939,405 tons for the same period last year.

—The L. & N. has awarded the contract of grading the line between Shelyville and Christianburg to Joseph Coyne. The work will cost \$5,000.

—The Italian steamer Ortigia and Maria P. collided at the entrance of the Gulf of Genoa. The Maria P. sunk and 143 passengers were drowned.

—A vigilance committee at Pineville unmercifully whipped some disreputable women, who had failed to leave town after promising the court to do so.

—A St. Louis firm has contracted with a firm at Lumberton, Miss., for 100,000,000 feet of yellow pine. It will take four years to saw it and 10,000 cars to haul it.

—A design for a \$2,000 monument to the memory of Gen. Green Clay Smith has been ordered by the National Commander of the Union Veterans' Union.

—Pike county had two killings Thursday, John Matney killed Will Thocker and Jake Smith killed Jim Coleman. Both claimed to have acted in self-defense.

—The republican committee for the 17th senatorial district will meet at Mt. Vernon next Saturday to determine the time and manner of nominating a State senator.

—The barber who attends Mr. Cleveland has shaved every president since the time of Lincoln. He is a bright, colored man and has a \$1,400 clerkship in the Treasury Department.

—For the first time in three years bank clearings are larger than they were in 1892. This demonstrates that the aggregate of business is now greater than at any previous time.

—Frank Kelly, of Lawrence county, shot and dangerously wounded his wife and John Houk, her relative. The Kellys had separated and Houk was trying to bring about a reconciliation.

—A coal combine, controlling seven-eights of the coal interests of the South, it is said is being formed with a capital of \$50,000,000. Kentucky and Tennessee mines constitute a large part of the trust.

—Tunnel No. 3 on the Short Line division of the Louisville and Nashville railroad has caved in and is a roaring mass of flames as a result of the fire started Saturday afternoon by a spark from an engine. The loss is very heavy.

—There are 115 K. of P. lodges in Kentucky with a total membership of 6,800.

—Samuel Fitzpatrick was fatally stabbed by a man named Oliver at a dance in Knott county.

—Marshal Davis, of Midway, killed James Harris, an Ohio negro, when he resisted arrest by shooting at him.

—A trolley car was held up in Wichita, Kan., in broad daylight, and robbed by a single bandit in sight of a crowd.

—Senator Blackburn is in Washington, trying to prevent the dismemberment of his friends who hold government positions.

—Four tramps who were stealing a ride on a freight train were killed in a wreck on the Atlantic Coast Line near Petersburg, Va.

—While three highwaymen were robbing a crowd of laborers, near Gallion, Miss., they were attacked by a sheriff's posse and one killed and another mortally wounded.

—Jailer William P. Dennis, of Helena, Ark., was called to his door and shot to death without a word of warning. Harvey Weeden, a former assistant, and a single grain.

—T. A. Bradley, of Danville, has winter oats for sale. Sow in September or October and get more grazing than from wheat or rye. Will thresh 40 to 60 bushels per acre. Fifty to 70 heads from a single grain.

—A horse cannery establishment at Portland, Oregon, has begun operations and several car-loads of horses are on hand to be slaughtered. The demand for horse flesh for food is confined to foreign countries.

—The short-horn market is on the upward tendency in England, last week 48 head sold at \$65 per head; while one extra fine yearling heifer brought \$800 and a 2-year-old bull the phenomenal figure of \$1,775.

—Gov. Brown refuses to pardon A. R. Sutton, the Louisville warehouse forger saying that there were no extenuating circumstances connected with the crime and he should be satisfied with getting off so lightly.

—A grudge caused Joe Noska, a Louisiana Italian, to attempt to exterminate an entire family. With a shotgun and buckshot-loaded shells he killed three people and wounded four others, two of whom may die. The assassin has fled.

—It develops that the great and good John Wanamaker pays his saleswomen an average of less than \$4 a week. They can not live upon this and they have organized to compel him to give them better wages and rid them of the petty tyranny of the floor walkers.

—The gold coinage at the United States mints for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1895, amounted to \$44,000,000. There would not have been a dollar of gold coined at those mints had the policy of Blackburn been substituted for the policy of Carlisle.—Lon. Times.

—Five negroes were killed and four wounded at Mart, Tex., by the blowing up of the house of the widow of Abe Phillips. Phillips and Phil Arnold, a white farmer, had killed each other in a dispute and the outrage is supposed to have been committed by Arnold's friends.

—Rev. John H. Moore, alias Chase Jones, was placed in the Paris jail, charged with stealing two bibles, two shirts and a pair of shoes from the home of Will Perry, colored, in Millersburg. It is said that Moore had on one of the shirts and the shoes and one of the bibles in his possession when he was arrested.

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## PERSONAL POINTS.

MR. MACK HUFFMAN is recuperating at Linnietta.

MR. A. H. SEVERANCE went to Millersburg Saturday.

MISS W. G. WELCH is staying at Crab Orchard Springs.

DR. A. S. PRICE is spending a week at Linnietta Springs.

MISS SUE WILLIE HALE is visiting friends at Somerset.

REV. A. J. PIKE, postmaster at Brodhead, was here yesterday.

MR. W. B. McROBERTS is suffering from a spider bite on his hand.

MISS MATTIE THOMPSON, of Lancaster, is the guest of Miss Margaret Bright.

COL. AND MRS. T. P. HILL left Saturday for Russell Springs for a 10 days' stay.

MR. JAMES A. BRAZLEY is clerking for Farris &amp; Hardin, during the latter's absence.

MISS GEORGIA WRAY has returned from a visit to the family of Silas Sandridge.

MRS. SARA HUFFMAN YOUNG, of Louisville, has been the guest of Mrs. G. B. Cooper.

MISSES W. K. SHUGAR and George Palmer, of Lancaster, were here courting Sunday.

MR. BOWEN BOWLING, of Clinton, Tenn., was the guest of Miss Octavia Sizemore.

MR. JOHN W. MOORE, of Casey, has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Ed Wilkinson.

MR. JOHN S. GREGORY, of Carter county, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Bailey.

MISS N. W. CONWAY and children, of Louisville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Flower.

JUDGE AND MRS. R. J. BRECKINRIDGE, of Danville, spent several days at Crab Orchard Springs.

MISSES NELLIE AND MAY ORNDORFF attended the Engineer's picnic at Lebanon Junction Saturday.

MR. AND MRS. MARK HARDIN are visiting relatives in Monticello. They made the trip in a buggy.

MRS. J. C. COOK, of Lawrenceburg, and H. B. Hocker, of Danville, were here yesterday with friends.

MRS. J. W. HAYDEN went to Rock Castle Springs Friday. Mr. J. S. Hughes also joined his wife there.

MR. T. S. FAASIS, of Arizona, passed through Sunday on his way to Lancaster to visit his wife and child.

MR. J. C. McCRARY and Marshal O. J. Newland have both been sick for several days but are much better now.

MR. J. E. MCKINNEY sent his father a 54-pound watermelon from Montgomery, Ala., which arrived yesterday.

MR. JOE SEVERANCE, JR., a promising young preacher of Stanford, was in town Tuesday.—Sheffield Outlook.

MRS. E. G. WALKER and Mrs. Henry Lammons and Miss Eva Lammons took in the Lebanon Junction picnic.

MISS MARY KAY was selected by the trustees of the Milledgeville school and began teaching there yesterday.

MRS. LUCY WHITMAN and Miss Ruby Marriott, of Bonniville, are visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. J. A. Mudd.

MR. E. D. SMITH has moved his family from Crab Orchard to Groesbeck, Texas, much to the regret of their many friends in the East End.

MR. AND MRS. W. M. LUCKY will leave to-day for a sojourn at Russell Springs. Judge M. C. Sankey will also go and be joined at Liberty by Hon. Geo. E. Stone.

MR. B. CHANCELLOR and daughter, Misses Lucy and Ophelia, accompanied Mrs. Anna King as far as Cincinnati, on her return to her home at Fredericksburg, Va.

MR. AND MRS. J. C. HAYS are at Linnietta Springs, where Mrs. Hays says she is going to stay till the old man's board, which he had shaved off last week, be grown again.

PRESIDENT WM. SHELTON tells us that he has engaged Miss Mary Harris, of Abingdon, Va., a graduate of Stoneyall Jackson College and of the Virginia State Normal, to teach art, elocution and the primary and preparatory classes at the College. This completes the faculty.

## CITY AND VICINITY.

LAST.—Bunch of keys with my name on metal tag. J. G. Carpenter.

The post-office at Penor, Casey county, will be discontinued after the 31st of this month.

PROF. J. M. HUBBARD will sell a lot of furniture at the College this afternoon, 23d, at 3 o'clock.

My customers will hereafter call at my coal office or pay my driver when the coal is delivered, as I sell for cash. J. R. Hales.

My wife having left me, I hereby warn any person from trusting her on my account, as I will pay no debt that she contracts. F. J. Jones, Crab Orchard.

SETTLE your tuition account by Wednesday evening, after which I will put all such claims in the hands of Attorney J. B. Paxton with instruction to push their collection. J. M. Hubbard.

FANCY pieces in China at Banks'.

A WORLD of hats at W. H. Shanks'.

TRY the cash plan with Severance &amp; Son this six months.

CLEAR wheat for chicken feed at J. H. Baughman &amp; Co's.

WHEN you insure with Jesse D. Wearen, you get what you insure for.

OILS, paints, varnishes, etc., at Craig &amp; Hocker's, the New Cash Drug Store.

A GOOD second-hand 12-horse portable engine for sale cheap. B. K. Wearer.

Your account is ready and I must have money. Please call and settle. W. B. McRoberts.

MESSAGES for doctors left with Craig &amp; Hocker at the Cash Drug House will be promptly delivered.

ONE of the largest and most select line of hats ever received in Stanford at one time at W. H. Shanks'.

From July 1st we shall conduct our repair work and optical business on a spot cash basis. Banks, the jeweler.

THREE car loads of darkness went on the excursion to Louisville Sunday and returned at 3 a. m. yesterday to Stanford. Friday night was the hottest the oldest inhabitant ever experienced, many people having to get up and go out of doors to keep from suffocating.

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The estate of Dan G. Slaughter only pays 14 cents on the dollar and this amount Commissioner R. C. Warren has been ordered by the court to disburse. The debts aggregated over \$9,000.

The smoke house of Mr. Horace S. Withers was broken in to Thursday night and all of his meat except two pieces stolen. The scamps also took what flour there was in the smoke-house.

APPLES are so abundant this year that three of them come on a stem. At least that is the way a sample sent to this office by Mrs. Alisia Jones appears. They are joined together Siamese twins fashion and are quite a curiosity.

THE K. C. division of the L. &amp; N. will sell tickets at one fare for the round-trip during the Richmond fair which begins to day. You can get there at 10:10 by leaving here in the morning and the last train leaves Richmond at 7:30 p. m.

A SNEAK thief stole all the wheels from M. D. Elmore's wagon on the night of the 18th. He will give \$5 reward for the return of the wheels and \$15 for the conviction of the thieves. The wheels are painted red but most of it has worn off. The hubs are patent and the tires pretty well worn.

A GERMAN named Ditzelhorst was tried before Judge Davison Friday on a charge of killing cattle belonging to Carl Hofmann, also of the Ottendorf section. He was held over till circuit court in \$100 which he readily gave. Ditzelhorst claims that Hofmann killed five of his cows and calves recently and killed several hogs belonging to him a few months ago.

TO CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS.—We would be glad if every Confederate soldier in Lincoln county would send the INTERIOR JOURNAL his name and address together with his company, regiment and command. There are no pensions to the men or other emoluments. We simply want to preserve the roll of honor and forward a copy of it to the Confederate Association.

CONSTATABLE T. J. BENEDICT went down to Adair county last week in search of Goli Gaddis, one of the prisoners who was held over several weeks ago. Goli died in that county and Mr. Benedict searched his house but did not find him. He caught a glimpse of him the following day, however, but he took to the bushes and the constable saw no more of him.

JOHN COLLIER, alias Varnon, has been granted a pension of \$6 a month. John enlisted in the army a year or so ago and was sent to Fort Robinson, Neb. One night, he knocked a pistol off a table in the arsenal and it went off, shooting him in the shin, producing a wound of some dimensions. He returned to his home here and will henceforth live on the bounty of the government.

MRS. LEE F. STONE met with a peculiar accident a few days since. The horse she was driving got the lines under its tail and in her effort to get them out she leaned over the dashboard, which broke and she fell head foremost under the vehicle. This frightened the animal and it struck out at a lively gait. Mrs. Stone was dragged a short distance but was fortunate enough to escape with a few scars and bruises.

THIS office has just printed 5,000 bills for the Junction City camp meeting to be held Aug. 3-12 under the auspices of the Colored Methodist Church. Many eminent divines will be on hand and all denominations are invited to participate.

Excursion trains will be run Sunday Aug. 11 from Greensburg, Somerset and Richmond and reduced fare will be given during the entire meeting. Rev. W. H. Crowds, of Junction City, will conduct the religious exercises and everything will be done for the spiritual as well as the physical comfort of those who attend. The excursion from Richmond will pass here at 9:30 on the 11th and the fare for the round-trip will be only 30 cents. Ed Gaines, a very intelligent colored man, will be in charge of the train and will see that order is maintained.

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For fire insurance in the best of companies call on Jesse D. Wearen.

The display of new photographs at A. J. Earp's is quite artistic. The family and other groups are exceedingly well taken.

THIRTY FIVE years ago last Sunday the first great battle of Manassas was fought but those of us who heard the booming of the cannon on that eventful day can hardly realize that so much time has passed.

A MESSAGE from Linnietta Springs says that it is crowded, with people sleeping in tents or rooming up town and taking meals at the hotel. Capt. Richards is as busy as a hen with one chicken, but manages to see that everybody has a good time.

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and many friends present. They were married at Danville, in the Presbyterian church, July 20, 1854. The ceremony was performed by the groom's father, the Rev. James C. Barnes, one of the most prominent then in the Presbyterian ministry. Mrs. Barnes' maiden name was Jane Steele Cowan. They spent their honeymoon in India, where Mr. Barnes was sent as a missionary and where Miss Marie and Will were born.

## CHURCH AFFAIRS.

Milwaukee gets the convention next year of the Baptist Young People's Union of America.

A Cincinnati woman in order to make atonement for her sins, stuck herself full of needles. Forty were extracted from her feet and ankles alone.

The Walnut Flat congregation becomes more and more pleased with the new pastor, Rev. J. F. Halsell. He preached Sunday to a large audience on "Growth in Grace and Knowledge," and his effort was both enjoyed and complimented.

Asked his opinion about sanctification, Bishop Fitzgerald responded in an open letter. There is room in our Methodism for good people who differ in their views on this subject. Our fathers differed, and yet loved each other. So can we. Holiness in heart and life in the present time we all hold to be the privilege of all believers. We will fall out with no fellow-believer, because he states his belief and experience in a way that differs from our way of doing so.

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Banking house and lot.....5,500.00  
Furniture and fixtures.....800.00  
Taxes and Expenses paid.....1,176.79  
Cash.....17,604.41

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Capital stock paid in, in cash.....\$200,000.00  
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No. 24, Train going North..... 12 7 p.m.  
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Train pass Junction City as follows:  
No. 1, South ..... 1:15 a.m. No. 2, North ..... 3:35 p.m.  
" 3 " ..... 2:15 a.m. " 4 " ..... 1:35 p.m.  
" 5 " ..... 11:35 a.m. " 6 " ..... 3:15 a.m.  
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Lv Frankfort A. 7:00 4:00 1:00

" Elkhorn ..... 7:11 4:12 1:20

" Stamping Ground 7:28 4:30 1:48

" Georgetown B. 10:40 6:25 5:55 6:40

" Staup's Grod' 6:57 5:59 3:03

" Elkhorn ..... 11:16 7:22 5:25

Arr Frankfort A. 11:30 7:35 5:35 4:00

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## Exceeding His Instructions.

The curtain had risen on the third act, and the momentary hush that preceded the resumption of the performance on the stage was broken by a stentorian voice from the rear of the auditorium.

"Is Dr. Higginspiker in the house?"

A tall, heavily whiskered man occupying a front seat rose up.

"If Dr. Higginspiker is in the house," resumed the stentorian voice, "he told me I was to come here and call him out at ten o'clock."

Whereupon Dr. Higginspiker, looking very red, picked up his hat and cane and walked down the aisle amid loud and enthusiastic applause.—Chicago Tribune.

## The Difference.

Gaggs—What's the matter? You look grim.

Waggs—Well, that's the way I feel. I've just lost a thousand dollars in a business deal.

Gaggs—Oh, cheer up, old fellow, and take things as they come.

Waggs—Great Scott, man! Any fool can take things as they come. What I find hard to do is to part with things as they go.—N. Y. Herald.

## The Father's Privilege.

Behold the felicitous father! His daughter's wedding when at, Supporting the bride to the altar, And the bride and the groom after that.—Demorest's Magazine.

## WHY HE TARRIED ON THE WAY.

A sketch of a man and a woman walking away from a church.

Old Party—Well, my little man, have you caught anything?

Rustic (dolefully)—Ain't been 'ome yet.—Pick-Me-Up.

## After His Own Heart.

The first thing Col. Blood, of Kentucky, noticed when they arrived at the Pyramids was a train of camels. He promptly uncovered his head.

"Why do you take off your hat to the camels?" cried his traveling companion.

"Because, sah," returned the colonel, with great dignity, "I appreciate anything, sah, that can go three weeks without taking watah."—N. Y. Recorder.

## A Delicate Subject.

Jingle—What was the trouble in the Soldiers' home last Sunday?

Jingle—Rev. Mr. Thankful chose for his text: "Let not your right hand know what your left hand doeth!"

Jingle—Well, but what was the trouble?

Jungle—Nearly all the inmates are one-armed veterans.—N. Y. World.

## Its Further Use.

Tramp—Madam, you know the suit you gave me last year. Here it is. I have brought it back.

Kind Lady—Well, what do I want it for?

Tramp—I thought perhaps you would like to put it in a missionary box.—Brooklyn Life.

## Wheelmen's Motto Is Coined.

Gadzooks—it seems to me that the wheelmen of the world ought to adopt a motto.

Zounds—Well, they couldn't do better than adopt the saying already in common use: "It's a good thing; push it along."—N. Y. Tribune.

## The Silver Lining.

Lawyer—I'm very sorry. I did the best I could.

Convict—Well, good behavior will bring the sentence down to about two years and a half, and, afterward, I'll never be in danger of having to serve on a jury.—Truth.

## He Knew Better.

Pilgarlie—Oh! the English titles, you know, are not like the continental ones. They can't be bought.

Van Bullion—Can't, eh? I know it cost me nearly half a million to get one for Matilda Jane.—Puck.

## A Compliment for One.

He—Harry and May used to be on the best of terms. What has happened?

She—Why, Harry told her mother, in May's presence, that the two might easily be taken for sisters.—Brooklyn Life.

## Reason Enough.

Irate Passenger—Conductor, why is it that the accommodations on this train are so inferior?

Cool Conductor—Because this is an accommodation train.—N. Y. World.

## Obliterated.

Probs—So you were in the Iowa cyclone. At what point did the storm leave the town?

Dobbs—It didn't leave the town—took it along.—Truth.

## The Change.

Banks—I thought she needed sympathy and so I married her.

## Hanks—And?

Banks—And we have now changed places.—Detroit Free Press.

## Quiet Tastes.

Mrs. Yeast—Is your husband a man of quiet tastes?

Mrs. Crimsonbeak—You wouldn't think so if you heard him smack his lips at the table.—Yonkers Statesman.

## Dressed That Way.

"I wish I were a man," she sighed.

He quickly raised his head,

And looked at her in wild surprise:

"I thought you were," he said.

—Brooklyn Life.

## Housekeeping at Samoa.

Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson says that housekeeping in Samoa was not so idyllic as it might seem. Her supplies came from New Zealand or Australia once a month, so that if she wanted a bottle of bluing or a bag of flour, for instance, she had to send half across the Pacific to get it. The native diet was all well enough for a few weeks, but as it consisted almost solely of fruit and fish it began to pall on European palates. Housekeeping in this South Sea paradise had other drawbacks, particularly in the matter of expense, which was fully six or seven times as great, Mrs. Stevenson says, as living on a corresponding scale in San Francisco. As for society, "there's more of it to the square inch in Samoa than in any other place I know," says Mrs. Stevenson, but it appears to be largely of the living picture kind.

## Force of Habit.

The general captain of a steamer plying on one of our American rivers was appointed a vestryman in an Episcopal church in a city which lay at one end of his route.

One day shortly afterward it was reported to him, when on shore, that there was a leak in the church. He was accustomed to promptness, and on receipt of the message he went to the church, took a candle and snuffed down into the cellar to find the leak, evidently thinking of the basement as the hull of the good ship Zion.

The captain himself tells the story with much apparent enjoyment of its humor.—Youth's Companion.

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